



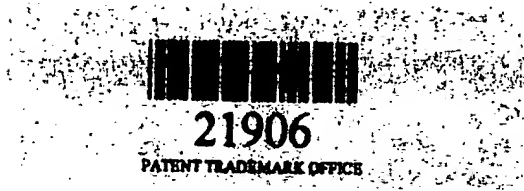
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REMARKS

In an Office Action dated July 18, 2002, restriction was required to either claims 1-12 of Group I or claims 13-25 of Group II. In view of this restriction requirement, applicant hereby elects claims 1-12 of Group I without traverse. In view of this election, claims 13-25 of Group II have been canceled.

The Commissioner is authorized to pay any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 20-1504 (ITL.0277US).

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